



Joint Apprenticeship & Training Committee of the NW Line Construction Industry

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A Non-Profit Association, Designed to Further the Systematic Training of Apprentice Linemen

WEB-SITE

www.northwestlinejatc.org

This is to inform you that applications are being accepted for the following trade:

CONSTRUCTION LINEMAN

APPLICATION FEE OF \$25.00

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: OPEN UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

APPLICANTS MUST MEET AT LEAST ONE OF THE THREE CONDITIONS LISTED BELOW*:

- 1.) A) Minimum age, 18
B) Physically able to perform the job as outlined in the Standards of Apprenticeship
C) High School diploma or G.E.D. (Official transcript required)
D) One (1) year High School Algebra or one (1) term of post High School Algebra with a grade average of "C" or better. Official transcript required.

***** OR *****

- 2.) A) Minimum age, 18
B) Physically able to perform the job as outlined in the Standards of Apprenticeship
C) Have a minimum of four thousand (4,000) hours work experience in the trade. Work experience must have included climbing and other trade related work conducive to that of an Electrical Lineman or Electrical Line Apprentice. Applicant must provide documentation of related work experience.

***** OR *****

- 3.) A) Be a veteran with two or more years active service with other than a dishonorable discharge.
B) Physically able to perform the job as outlined in the Standards of Apprenticeship
C) Have completed military training and duties - must have included line construction and related theories. Applicant must provide documentation of satisfactory completion of training and experience.

* Specific minimum qualifications are in our Standards of Apprenticeship at:

www.LNI.wa.gov/TradesLicensing/Apprenticeship/files/standards/0487.pdf

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STARTING WAGE: \$21.68/hour (effective 2/1/06). Journeyman wage: \$36.13/hour.
Medical/Dental and Retirement plan.

Where to Apply: Pick up an application in person or mail in a written request for an application to the above address. **Be sure to include the \$25.00 application fee** in the form of a check or money order made payable to "J.A.T.C."

NATURE OF WORK:

Outside Electrical Lineworkers and Apprentice Lineworkers construct and maintain the electric Transmission and distribution facilities that deliver electrical energy to our homes, factories, and commercial establishments.

Lineworkers also provide important and skilled services to the electrical industry on a daily basis, and when emergencies develop due to damage from lightning, wind and ice storms. Lineworkers respond to restore electric service at any time of the day or night.

Outside electrical lineworker apprentices in this program work for various contractors on all types of power line construction, both underground and overhead.

The work is outdoors year-round, and involves extensive travel throughout the Northwest. All travel and accommodations will be at the apprentice's expense. Apprentices must be free to travel when assigned to jobs in Oregon, Washington, 10 northern counties in Idaho, and 3 northern counties of California. Upon completion of the apprenticeship program, lineworkers are free to work wherever and for whomever he/she chooses.

Apprentices will spend 7,000 hours (approximately 3-1/2 years) of on-the-job training to complete the program; however, periods of unemployment may lengthen the apprenticeship.

Apprentices will also be required to attend at least 144 hours per year of related classroom studies, provided by the apprenticeship.

Employment opportunities for both apprentice lineworkers and journeyman lineworkers have been good in recent years. Employment opportunities for the future are promising.

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Washington Power Line Clearance & Tree Trimming

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To Apply for the Tree Trimmer Apprenticeship Program:

Please fill out the Application Request Form below.

NOTE

- a. A valid driver's license will be required by the employer upon obtaining employment.
- b. A Commercial Driver's license with Air Brake endorsement must be obtained within six (6) months of indenture.
- c. Failure to complete an application within 90 days will require the applicant to re-apply.

To obtain an application you may do anyone of the following:

1. Request an application online by going to our website – www.northwestlinejatc.org.
2. Pick up an application in person or mail this form into the following address:

NW Line J.A.T.C.
6162 NE 80th Ave.
Portland, OR 97218

3. Fax in this form to: **(503) 256-1907**

All requests for application must provide the following minimum information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____

Social Security Number: _____

(not required)

Phone Number: (_____) _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

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This is to inform you that applications are being accepted for the following trade:

WASHINGTON POWER LINE CLEARANCE TREE TRIMMER

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: OPEN UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR THIS OCCUPATION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- A) Minimum age, 18
- B) Physically capable of performing the work with due regard to working aloft in trees or aerial lifts, agility, strength and endurance.

NATURE OF WORK:

The Washington program covers the entire state of Washington and the geographic jurisdiction of the IBEW Local 77.

The employers are power line clearance tree trimming contractors, doing contract work for various Power and Light Utilities in the Northwest.

The apprentice tree trimmer is required to accept job dispatches as they become available no matter where the job is located. Refusal to accept employment is grounds for dismissal from the program. Expenses related to travel (i.e. mileage, hotel, food) are the sole responsibility of the apprentice.

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS:

The apprentice tree trimmer must complete 4,000 hours of on the job training and approximately 32 Saturday classroom type related training sessions (16 classes per year).

WAGES:	1st	6 months	\$16.58/hr.
	2nd	6 months	\$17.68/hr.
	3rd	6 months	\$18.79/hr.
	4th	6 months	\$19.89/hr.

Approximate Journeyman wage is \$22.10, plus health and welfare package thru agreement with International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Locals 77 & 483 and signatory Tree Trimmer contractors. Wages are effective 1/1/06.

WHERE TO APPLY: Pick up an application in person, fill out the online request form at the website above or you may mail or fax a written request for an application. **Requests will NOT be taken over the phone.**

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Oregon Power Line Clearance & Tree Trimming

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To Apply for the Tree Trimmer Apprenticeship Program:

You may fill out the Application Request Form below.

NOTES

- a. Applicants must be physically capable of performing the work with due regard to working aloft in trees or aerial lifts, agility, strength and endurance upon obtaining employment.
- b. A valid driver's license may be required by the employer upon obtaining employment.
- c. Applications must be returned within 90 days, if not then a new application must be requested.
- d. Veterans who have GI Benefits may use them in this program.
- e. Must obtain Commercial Driver's License within 6 months of initial employment.

To obtain an application you may do any one of the following:

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3. Fax in this form to: **(503) 256-1907**
4. Selection will be through a ranked pool of applicants. Applications received during each month are rated as a group the 1st Monday of the following month. The names of the new successful applicants will be added to the pool of ranked eligibles. The application rating is based on documented education and work history. Examples of documentation include high school and community college transcripts, certificates of course completion, letters from previous employers and DD-214.

All requests for application must provide the following minimum information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: (_____) _____

Social Security Number: _____

(not required)

Signature of Applicant: _____

NONDISCRIMINATION IN SELECTION AND EMPLOYMENT

The recruitment, selection, employment and training of apprentices during their apprenticeship shall be without discrimination because of race, color, religion, national origin or gender. The sponsor will take affirmative action to provide equal opportunity in apprenticeship and will operate the apprenticeship program as required under Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 30, and Equal Employment Regulation of the Oregon State Apprenticeship and Training Council.

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OREGON POWER LINE CLEARANCE TREE TRIMMER

MA# 5021

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APPLICATIONS ARE TAKEN YEAR ROUND.

APPLICATIONS ARE PROCESSED MONTHLY: Applications are processed monthly and added to the pool of eligibles on the first Monday of each month.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR THIS OCCUPATION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- A) Minimum age, 18 B) High school diploma or G.E.D.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Applicants must be physically capable of performing the work with due regard to working aloft in trees or aerial lifts, agility, strength and endurance upon obtaining employment.

(for example: Physically capable of performing lifting and dragging of brush, feeding brush into a chipper, working at heights while in aerial lift equipment (50') and suspended from trees using rope and tree trimming saddle (100+'))

NATURE OF WORK:

The Oregon program covers the entire state of Oregon.

The employers are power line clearance tree trimming contractors, doing contract work for various Power and Light Utilities in the Northwest.

The apprentice tree trimmer is required to accept job dispatches as they become available no matter where the job is located. Refusal to accept employment is grounds for dismissal from the program. Expenses related to travel (i.e. mileage, hotel, food) are the sole responsibility of the apprentice.

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS:

The apprentice tree trimmer must complete 4,000 hours of on the job training and approximately 30 Saturday classroom type related training sessions (15 classes per year).

AVERAGE WAGES:	1 st	Step	approx. 6 months	\$13.98/hr
	2 nd	Step	approx. 6 months	\$16.13/hr
	3 rd	Step	approx. 6 months	\$17.20/hr
	4 th	Step	approx. 6 months	\$19.35/hr

Approximate Journeyman wage is \$21.50/hr plus health and welfare package thru agreement with International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Locals 125 & 659 and signatory Tree Trimmer contractors. Wages are effective 3/1/06.

WHERE TO APPLY: Pick up an application in person, fill out the online request form at the website above or you may mail or fax a written request for an application. **Requests will NOT be taken over the phone.**

This program is registered with the Oregon State Apprenticeship & Training Council and recognized by the Bureau of Labor and Industries.

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